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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
SHOUJI TOIDA et al) INSULATED CUP HOLDER
Serial No. 09/774,410 ✓) Group Art Unit 3727
Filed January 31, 2001) Examiner S. Castellano

AMENDMENT "A"

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 3, 2001, Applicants
wish to respond as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

11. (Amended) The combination of claim 10 wherein said inner
liner includes a radially outwardly directed flange located just below said axially
extending edge and said outer body is sealed to said flange.

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